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SUBJ: MTA SISMIK I: AEGEAN EXPLORATIONS

1. CONGEN OFFICERS OBSERVED LARGE CEREMONY AT ISTINYE DOCKYARD
WITH SEVERAL HUNDRD PERSONS IN ATTENDANCE AT 10:30 JULY 23.
FOLLOWING CEREMONY, SISMIK I DEPARTED ISTINYE DOCK
AT 11:25 AND ENTERED SEA OF MARMARA AT 12:05.

2. TODAY'S TURKISH NEWSPAPERS HAD REPORTED THAT CEREMONY
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WOULD TAKE PLACE INVOLVING MINISTERS OF ENERGY, VILLAGE

AFFAIRS AND COMMUNICATIONS. ACCORDING TO PRESS, FINAL
SEA TRIALS WERE HELD IN BLACK SEA DURING NIGHT OF JULY 22.
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